

# Fringe Instructions

## Getting Started

- For best results, select medium to heavy weight fabrics when embroidering designs from the Fringe Friends #12210 Stock Pack. Use the stabilizer appropriate for the fabric or the garment.
- Always sew a test sample before stitching on the actual garment.
- Use contrasting bobbin thread when sewing small fringes or multi-layer fringe. This will help ensure that you clip the correct threads when making the fringe.
- You will need small, very sharp scissors when clipping the front of the fringe.
- The Embroidery Wand, available at your local dealer, is a handy gadget that looks like a large needle without the eye. This allows you to pull the loops of the fringe through to the front quickly and easily, without distorting the stitches.
- Test the embroidery on scrap fabric using the same fabric, stabilizer, needle and thread you intend to use for the completed project.
- Hooping stabilizer and fabric together as one will yield the best results, just as it does for all embroidery.

## Stitch & Clip

- After all of the embroidery work is finished, remove the fabric from the hoop.
- From the right side of the fabric, carefully clip threads as described below to achieve the desired fringe type.
- The sewing instructions included with the Thread Chart show the red cutting line or lines for each design.  
Use The Embroidery Wand, available at your local dealer; to safely lift and loosen the fringe ends from the front of the garment or project.
- Clip the threads with small sharp scissors.

### PHOTO A

- Remove any loose threads by gently rubbing the back. **PHOTO B**
- Steam fringe lightly for a few seconds, and then use your fingers to gently straighten and flatten the fringe. **DO NOT PLACE THE IRON DIRECTLY ON THE FRINGE.**
- The fringe adds a special dimension that makes the designs so cute! **PHOTO C**

